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APPLICATION NO. **Not Yet Assigned**

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TITLE: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING PERSONALIZED  
STORE-ISSUED COUPONS PRIOR TO SHOPPING**

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1. Specification (15 pgs.), claims (7 pgs.) and abstract (1 pg.);
2. Drawings (4 sheets) **informal**;
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (**executed**); and
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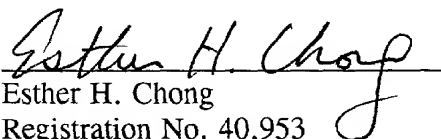
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